STORY OF 1922 AT HOME AND ABROAD BRIEFLY TOLD

PROSPERITY, STRIKES, AMONG CHIEF EVENTS IN THE UNITED STATES

General Upsets in November **Elections Reflect Unsettled** Conditions of Country.

ne and abroad. In America these included the great strikes of coal niners and railroad shopmen, the ublican party in the November elec-Among the most noteworthy he Greeks in Asia Minor and the reat Lausanne: the downfall of

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

January found the great powers in Anatolia. They opened the attaction of the still engaged in formulating treaties on August 23 and took the enem completely by surprise. Within of the still depend on the still on to China. Three days later the conference approved a number of treatles designed to restore to China some of her lost liberties and passed a resolution for the creation of an international commission to revise the rules of warfare. On February 6 the delegates signed all the treaties and the conference adjourned sine die, and in four days President Harding submitted the treaties to the Senate.

Treaties Ratified.

By the end of March the Senate had ratified all these treaties, as well as one with Japan, by which the troublesome question of American rights on the Island of Yap was settled. Great Britain and Japan also, in the course of time, ratified the conference pacts, and, like the United States, took steps toward putting into effect the terms of the treaty on naval limitation. But France, more interested in her own troubles connected with the German reparations and with the developments in the liear east, delayed action, and her example was followed by several small-Treaties Ratified. ample was followed by several small-er nations. Thus the full effect of some of the treaties was lost for the time being.
Rehabilitation of Europe, economic Rehabilitation of Europe, economic and financial, was the great problem that confronted the world and, of course, its solution depended to a considerable extent on a settlement of the cierman reparations matter. This had not been reached when the year came to a close. The allied commission, an international bankers' committee and various individuals struggled with the cuestion, throughout the twelve estion throughout the twelve nths, but it would be tedious to tell months, but it would be tedious to tell in detail of their efforts. The Germans steadily maintained that complete enforcement of the treaty of Versailles would ruin Germany and be disastrous for the rest of Europe, although Dr. Wirth, the chancellor. held that Germany must and would ultimately pay the reparations bill. Ber'in insisted that a long moratorium be granted on all payments and that be granted on all payments and that an international loan to Germany be arranged. France, depending on the

the year, when Bonar Law had succeeded L'oyd George as prime minister. Then it appeared the British government might support such a move by France when Germany should default in the reparations payments due in January.

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Although the people of the United ates enjoyed a fair amount of proster throughout the year, they great powers, despite the protests of seven discontented and dissatisfied, dishowed it when they went to the list in November. Seemingly they discontent and the treaty of Brest-Litovski and establishing full diplomatic relation. Surprised and angered, the great powers, despite the protests of the neutrals, barred the Germani from further participation in the discussion of Russian affairs, which was discontinuous like the new tariff law, and the treaty canceling their was debts and the treaty of Brest-Litovski and establishing full diplomatic relations.

tionalists to take possession of Con-stantinople and the rest of the old Turkish empire, and she called on Anatolia, and six of them, including her dominions and France, Italy, three former premiers, were conher dominions and France, Italy, Serbia, Rumania and Greece to join her in the defense of the Dardanelles. France, which had been giving aid and comfort to the Turks, and Italy objected to military operations against the Kemalists, and some of the British dominions were noticeably cool.

Britain Takes Military Steps. However, Britain hurried reinforce ments to her land and naval force and the world know that she would act alone if necessary. The allies on September 23 invited the nationalists to a peace conference, agreeing to return to them Constantinople and eastern Thrace in return for the guaranteed freedom of the straits. Kemal insisted that Russia must be included, and the allies agreed that the soviet government should participate in settlement of the question of the Dardanelles. After several ticipate in settlement of the question of the Dardanelles. After several trying days, when war seemed almost unavoidable, the allies and nationalists met at Mudania on October 3 to arrange an armistice. A week later a proticol was signed providing for the evacuation of eastern Thrace by Greece within fifteen days and its delivery to Turkey within forty-five days, and, yielding to the Kemalists the civil control of Constantinople pending a peace conference. This conference opened in Lausanne, Switzerland, November 20, with the prospect of being long in session. The United States declined full participation, but sent Ambassador Child. Minister Crew and Admiral Bristoi to guard the interests of America and Americans, these being especially in connection with the oil fields of Mosul.

The conference had to deal with the frontiers of the Turkish state, both in Europe and in Mesopotamia, where the oil fields are located, and

of the league met in London on July 17, and five days later announced that the British mandate for Palestine and the French mandate for Syria were approved. The assembly of the league began its annual session in Geneva September 4, with Augustin Edwards of Chile presiding. Hungary was admitted to the league.

On May 15 the conference to settle the old Tacna-Arica dispute between Chile and Peru opened in Washington, and in due time came to a successful conclusion, adopting a compromise Llan suggested by Secretary Hughes. Colombia and Venezuela settled their boundary dispute on April 9. Esthonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Albania were recognized by the United States 18 sovereign states on July 27

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Anatolia, and six of them, including three former premiers, were condemned to death. Great Britain tried vainly to prevent the execution and then broke off relations with Greece, probably glad to get rid of an embarrassing alliance. Prince Andrew, uncle of the king, also was tried and condemned, but escaped with exile.

Pope Benedict XV died on January 22, and on February 2 the sacred college met in Rome to choose his successor. Four days later Cardinal Achille Ratti, Archbishop of Milan, was elected, and on February 12 he was crowned pope as Pius XI.

To the account of affairs in Turkey related above is to be added the downfall of the sulton. Considered by the Angora government to be a tool of all of the sultan. Considered by the Angora government to be a tool of tall of the sultan. Considered by the Angora government to be a tool of tall of the sultan. Considered by the traitor, he was deposed on November 1. The sovereignty of the nation was to permit the manufacture and use of beers and light wines, and ultimately the repeal of the eighteenth amendment itself. On October 6 Attorney General Daugherty ruled liquor off all American ships throughout the world and declared foreign out the world a

Outstanding Features of Past Year.

Prosperity returns with normalcy. Strikes of miners and railway shopmen. Passage by Congress of new tariff bill. Upsets in November general elections. Big mine disasters and train wreck. Unusual number of prominent persons die

Rout of Greeks in Asia Minor. Regeneration of Turkish state. Near east peace conference at Lausanne: Downfall of Prime Minister Lloyd George. Triumph of fascisti in Italy. Establishment of Irish Free State. Election of new Pope.

Germany devoted herself through the year largely to efforts to evade the payment of reparations, to detormined work to regain her foreign trade and to the printing of innumerable billions of paper marks. The value of the mark fluctuated widely, reaching a low level of more than eight thousand for a dollar. On June 24 Dr. Walter Rathenau, foreign min-Austria, and A. H. Geissi

DOMESTIC AFFAIRS

7, and the results justified the forecast. In both House and Senate the
republican majority was tremendously reduced. Such well known figures
as du Pont, Kellogg, Townsend,
Calder, Pomerene and Poindexter
were retired. A feature of the election was the immense majority rolled
up for Al Smith. democratic candidate
for the governorship of New York.

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M. Briand resigned as premier of France on January 12 because his policies at the Cannes conference were opposed. He was succeeded by M. Poincare, whose policies included strict enforcement of the treaty of Versailles.

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on April 21 Gen. Chang Tso Lin, governor of Manchuria, seized Peking and Tientsin, and on May 4 he was defeated by Gen. Wu and driven back into Manchuria. In June the old Chinese parliament met, President Tsu resigned and Li Yuan-Hung was made president. with Wu Ting-fang as premier. Sun Yat Sen, head of the southern China government. was driven out of Canton on June 16, but in August he turned up as the controlling figure in a conference in to time he defended himself vigor-Attorney General Daugnerty was
the object of continual attacks
throughout the year, his opponents
charging him with undue delay in
prosecuting war profiteers, appointment of men whom he knew to be
unfit, favoritism and general subservience to Wall street. From time

Shanghai called to establish a firm ously but certain groups in Congress covernment for united China.

Exercise in Germany.

The Department of Justice did start

Postmaster Will Hays, who become supreme head of the picture industry. Dr. Hubert ucceeded him. Gen. Charles a retired from the position of of the budget July 1, Gen. sting the most

The centenary of U. S. Grant's birth was celebrated on April 27, and on May 30 the great Lincoln Memorial in Washington was dedicated. Newberry Resigns. Truman H. Newberry of Michigan, whose right to a seat in the Senate was upheld by that body on January

was upheld by that body on January 12, grew weary of the continual fight made to unseat him and resigned on November 18. Gov. Groesbeck appointed Mayor James Couzens of Detroit to fill out the term.

For the first time in history the United States Senate had a woman senator. When Tom Watson of Georgia died Gov. Hardwick appointed Mrs. W. H. Felion, a veteran sufed Mrs. W. H. Felton, a veteran suf-fragist, to the vacancy, pending an election. W. F. George was elected to the place, but when Congress met in extra session he withheld his creden-tials long enough for Mrs. Felton to

NATIONAL LEGISLATION

One of the first acts of Congress in the year was the passage of the foreign debt refunding bill, with a limit for payment set at twenty-five years. The House in January also passed the Dyer anti-lynching bill, but it got no farther until December, when the democrats in the Senate fillbustered it democrats in the Senate fillbustered it in the senate fillbustered i Dyer anti-lynching bill, but it got no farther until December, when the democrats in the Senate fillbustered it to death. The co-operative marketing bill was enacted in February. On March 23 the House passed the soldiers' bonus bill and, after a long and bitter fight, it went through the Senate on August 31. President Harding had warned Congress the measure was entirely unacceptable to him, chiefly because it provided no means of raising the money to pay the chieny because it provided no means of raising the money to pay the bonts, and on September 19 he vetoed it. The House overrode the veto, but the Senate sustained it. The agitation for such legislation was incessant, however, and new bills were introduced before the year closed. Military Appropriations.

Appropriation bills for the Army and Navy, providing for 133,000 and

86,000 emisted men, respectively, were passed, and \$17,000,000 was appropriated for soldiers' hospitals.

The tariff revision bill, of course took a long time in the making. It finally was completed and was signed by the President on September 21. One notable feature is a provision giving the President power to lower or raise certain rates when he thinks conditions of foreign trade warrant.

Congress adjourned on September 22, and as it had failed to take any action on a ship subsidy measure the President called an extra session to meet on November 20, mainly to consider such a bill. The House passed it on November 29. The extra session merged into the regular session on December 4.

LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL

well-being by disrupting traffic and causing a country-wide shortage of

the mine operators on the wage scale,

Rallway Strike.

American League. The world series in a mine near killed eighty-four. was won easily by the Giants. Winners in golf, in order of time.

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ECONOMIC TURMOIL IN EUROPE OCCUPIES ATTENTION OF WORLD

Lloyd George Meets Downfall. Fascisti Control in Italy. **Numerous Conferences.**

The Canadian schooner Bluenos

won the fishermen's cup fr American entry, Henry Ford.

DISASTERS

compromise. Chicago also had continued trouble with some of the building trades which would not accept the Landis award. This resulted in a reorganization of the building trades council there, the recalcitrant trades being put on the open-shop list.

The American Federation of Labor sheld its annual meeting in June, and Samuel Gompers was re-elected president.

SPORTS

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copper magnate; Dr. Lyman Abbott editor of Outlook, Father Bernard Vaughan, famous Jesuit preacher of

Billiard Championship.

Young Jake Schaefer won the 18-2 billiard championship from Willie Hoppe in a great tournament in March, and held it until November 21, when Willie Hoppe recaptured it. John Layion defeated several contestants for his three-cushion title. Edgar T. Appleby of New York won the national and international amateur titles.

Nothing of great moment happened in the squared circle except the unexpected defeat of Georges Carpentier, French champion, by Siki of Senegal Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, defeated Rocky Kansas on the states and the states and the squared circle except the unexpected defeat of Georges Carpentier, French champion, by Siki of Senegal Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, defeated Rocky Kansas on the states and the states are the states are the states and the states are the states are the states are the states and the states are the states are the states and the states are the states are the states are the states and the states are the states are the states are the states are to congress; Joseph Ucckwood, founder of D. A. R.; Edlamy Storer, former diplomat, Eichamp Storer, former d (Copyright, 1922, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

VETERANS OF GREAT WAR

Equality-Walter Reed Post 284, that each claimant entitled to compen Veterans of Foreign Wars, will hold sation received a governmental check for this by Christmas. The posts and departments of the legion co-operated Thursday evening at Pythian Temple, with the workers of the Veterans' Bu-1012 8th street northwest at which time, under the leadership of Commander Howard E. Chase, a program of activities will be inaugurated for

intensive campaign in hospitals caring

reau in this campaign, Officers of the Jane Delano Post No

At the December of the commander to appoint an employment committee and also place admittonal members on the hospital visiting committee, and every member of the post is requested to be present at this important meeting.

The post is closely connected with Walter Reed Hospital and that hospital is being paid regular visits by the hospital committee, but it is the lesire of this post that every unit of every veteran organization in Washington take some particular hospital under its wing for the express purpose of paying it regular dependable visits. The post will co-operate with any other unit for the purpose of presenting any suit-life the purpose of presenting and construction and life the purpose of presenting any suit-life the purpose of presenting and dance to be presented to be presented to be presented to the state of the

this week return to this city, having spent Christmas at home in Buffalo. He has two engagements at the Capital on legislation affecting the disabled former service men and will discuss with General Sawyer the program for vataran homitalization that gram for veteran hospitalization that has already been agreed upon by the

two.

The D. A. V. is particularly anxious, to expedite enactment of the Sweet bill, which would affect a number of changes in the Veterans' Bureau laws and a compliation is now being enade of a number of other bills conmade of a number of other bills con-cerning veterans which will be given consideration at the same time as the Sweet bill is discussed. Capt. Cook hopes to have hearings on the Sweet bill started shortly. The Bursum bill will also receive the attention of Capt. Cook during his short stay here. This measure would extend to the permanently dis-abled emergency officers of the Army

was also carried to ex-service nurses who are patients at Walter Reed, and presents sent to members of the post, who are sick at Oteen, and other veteran hospitals.

National Commander C. H. Cook, of trict of Columbia, are: Dr. Kate Wal-

D. A. R. ACTIVITIES The State Historic Committee, D. A. changed in the new books to "re-R. at its December meeting was ad- model," as some of the original house were proposed and evening were Mrs. dressed by the field secretary of the

Schwed, who warned against socialism in all forms. Mrs. Abbott presented her final report on the federal directory, stating that the much discussed word "razed" in connection with the Francis Scott Key house, was being

National Association for Constitu-

tional Government, Miss Hermine

ler Barrett, national president of the auxiliary; Watson B. Miller, nations vice commander of the American Legion; John L. Smith, commander Department of District of Columbia

The Tank Corps Post, No. 19, American Legion, will hold its usual New Year eve party, starting at midnight tonight, at the Mount Pleasant Masonic Temple, 14th and Kenyon streets northwest. Special effectainment features will be provided, including a novelty dance by members of the post Among the suests of of the post. Among the guests of honor will be Joe Sparks, chairman of the national rehabilitation com-

s still there. Several of the older historians rose to compliment Mrs. Abbott upon her work. Mrs. Greenwalt, a past state re

ene M. Smith, regent, presiding. Plans were discussed for raising money for benevolences and other chapter work for the coming year. The January meeting will be an evening meeting at the home of the Tegent.

Sallie Grant Gates, treasurer, read an hostess. Mrs. Milton Johnson, the Ivalee Newell. encouraging report of the finances of regent, presided. Reports were given the chapter. Liberal donations were by the officers present. A communi-also handed in for the George Wash-cation was read from Mrs. Carmichel, the chapter. Liberal donations were also handed in for the George Washington Memorial. Three new members were proposed and accepted. The guests of honor of the evening were Mrs. George Maynard Minor, president general of the national organization; Mrs. Sister of George Washington. The Emily Nelson Chapter, Mrs. Part held its December meeting at the chapter was read from Mrs. Carmichel. Cation was read from Mrs. Carmichel. Carmichel. Chapter Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Richard Langer and Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins were guests. Mrs. George Washington. The card party at Miss. Puller's home was reported a success. George Maynard Minor, president general of the national organization; Mrs. and the chapter voted a donation. G. Wallace W. Hanger, candidate for the office of president general at the national congress next April; Mrs. Frances A. St. Clair, former state regent, each of whom gave talks upon the activities of their respective offices. gent, read important letters relating national congress next April; Mrs. to the Key house and its more per- Frances A. St. Clair, former state resonal history. Mrs. Hardy, state regent, came in during the meeting.

Patriets' Memorial Chapter, D. A. R., was recently entertained by Mrs. T. Curry at luncheon, followed by the b. A. R. business meeting, Miss Carotana M. Smith, regent, presiding. the excellent work done for Americanization and other patriotic purposes. She also reported, as campaign manager for Mrs. Hanger, the gains she is making each day in various states. Mrs. Hanger reported the names of the members whom she had invited on her ticket and spoke of the state regent, Mrs. Hardy, having appointed Mrs. H. C. Cook to serve as corresponding secretary on her board of managers for the coming campaign. Miss Schwed of Alabase Said secretary of the Naitomal

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Woman's Club to raise funds for the E. Warfield in Alexandria, Va., with business, a number of violin solopatriotic donations of the chapter. Mrs. Mrs. Mary A. Stephens, assisting were beautifully rendered by Mis-

The Emily Nelson Chapter, D. A. R.

can families entitled to coats of arms." The historian's paper for the day was "Dress and Modes of Punishment Two Hundred Years Ago." Following the business meeting the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Arthur Warfield.

Columbia Chapter, D. A. E., met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Charlotte A. Van Doren, 647

East Capitol street: Mrs. C. C.

Montfeello Chapter, D. A. R.,